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(380) NIGHT LEAD LEMNITZER-TWINING
BY C. YATES MCDANIEL

WASHINGTON, AUG. 15 (AP)-PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY SELECTED ARMY GEN. LYMAN L. LEMNITZER TO BE CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF.

HE WILL SUCCEED AIR FORCE GEN. NATHAN F. TWINING WHO HAS REQUESTED RETIREMENT FOR HEALTH REASONS BEFORE COMPLETING HIS SECOND TWO-YEAR TERM AS THE ADMINISTRATION'S PRINCIPAL MILITARY ADVISER. NO DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR TWINING'S RETIREMENT.

LEMNITZER MUST WIN SENATE CONFIRMATION. THE APPOINTMENT WOULD HAVE BEEN UP TO THE NEXT PRESIDENT HAD TWINING BEEN ABLE TO COMPLETE HIS ASSIGNED SERVICE.

LEMNITZER, WHO WILL BE 61 ON AUG. 29, HAS BEEN ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR JUST OVER ONE YEAR. HE IS A NATIVE OF HONESDALE, PA.

HE CAME TO PRESIDENT -- THEN GENERAL -- EISENHOWER'S NOTICE EARLY IN WORLD WAR II WHEN HE WAS IN THE PLANS DIVISION OF THE GENERAL STAFF.

LEMNITZER HELPED PLAN THE ALLIED LANDING IN NORTH AFRICA AND ACCOMPANIED GEN. MARK W. CLARK IN A SECRET SUBMARINE MISSION THAT PAVED THE WAY FOR THE UNOPPOSED LANDING.

BEFORE THE WAR WAS OVER, LEMNITZER WON HONORS AS A MILITARY DIPLOMAT. HE SERVED AS CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE BRITISH-LED ALLIED COMMAND IN THE MEDITERRANEAN AND IN SECRET NEGOTIATIONS THAT LED TO THE SURRENDER OF ITALY AND LATER TO THE CAPITULATION OF GERMAN FORCES IN THAT AREA.

LEMNITZER QUALIFIED, AT THE AGE OF 51, AS A PARACHUTIST IN ORDER TO GET COMMAND OF AN AIRBORNE DIVISION, THEN WENT TO KOREA AS COMMANDER OF THE SEVENTH INFANTRY DIVISION WHERE HE TOOK PART IN BITTER FIGHTING.

HE HAD EARLIER ORGANIZED THE MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM THAT WAS ORIGINALLY DESIGNED TO PROVIDE MILITARY MUSCLE FOR THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ALLIANCE, AND HAS SINCE BECOME A GLOBAL OPERATION.

ALTHOUGH THERE IS NO LAW OR REGULATION ON THE SUBJECT, THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE JOINT CHIEFS HAS ROTATED AMONG THE SERVICES.

THE FIRST WAS GEN. OF THE ARMY OMAR BRADLEY, WHO WAS FOLLOWED BY ADM. ARTHUR W. RADFORD.

TWINING, THE FIRST AIRMAN TO ATTAIN THE CHAIRMANSHIP, RECOVERED LAST YEAR FROM AN OPERATION FOR THE REMOVAL OF A CANCEROUS GROWTH FROM ONE LUNG. EARLIER THIS YEAR, HE HAD HIS APPENDIX REMOVED. HE INFORMED EISENHOWER LAST WEEK THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO STEP DOWN WHENEVER THE PRESIDENT WAS READY TO NAME A SUCCESSOR. NO DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR THE CHANGEOVER.

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A21 (560)
AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD POWERS
BY REINHOLD G.ENSZ

MOSCOW, AUG. 15 (AP)-THE FAMILY OF U2 PILOT FRANCIS GARY POWERS MET HIS SOVIET LAWYER FOR THE FIRST TIME TODAY AND EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE HE IS COMPETENT AND WILL DO HIS BEST TO HELP THE ACCUSED FLIER. POWERS GOES ON TRIAL WEDNESDAY ON ESPIONAGE CHARGES.

"THE CONFERENCE WITH THE DEFENSE ATTORNEY WAS MOST USEFUL AND WE HAVE CONFIDENCE HE WILL DO ALL POSSIBLE TO HELP OUR SON," SAID THE FLIERS' PARENTS. MR. AND MRS.OLIVER W.POWERS IN A BRIEF STATEMENT.

ALEXANDER W.PARKER OF RICHMOND, VA., AN ATTORNEY WHO ACCOMPANIED THE PILOT'S WIFE, MRS.BARBARA POWERS, CALLED THE MEETING WITH SOVIET ATTORNEY MIKHAIL ILICH GRINIOV "HIGHLY SATISFACTORY."

BUT AFTER A DEFENSE STRATEGY CONFERENCE WITH GRINIOV THAT LASTED MORE THAN AN HOUR, PARKER DECLINED TO DISCUSS THE TRIAL ITSELF OR THE CONDITION OF POWERS. GRINIOV TOLD THEM HE HAD JUST COME FROM A LONG MORNING CONFERENCE WITH THE ACCUSED FLIER.

PARKER TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE:

"EVERYBODY WAS IMPRESSED BY HIS (GRINIOV'S) SINCERITY, HIS APPARENT ABILITY AND FRANKNESS. WE WERE FAVORABLY IMPRESSED WITH HIM AND HIS DESIRE TO COOPERATE. HE HAS A HEAVY JOB, A GREAT JOB, AND HE IS GOING TO GIVE THE BEST HE HAS GOT.

"THIS FEELING IS GENERAL AMONG ALL THE (VIRGINIA) ATTORNEYS."

GRINIOV IS A KINDLY FACED LITTLE MAN WITH THINNING, CLOSE-CROPPED GRAY HAIR AND A TINY BEARD. HE IS SAID TO HAVE HANDLED MANY CRIMINAL CASES IN THE SOVIET UNION.

GRINIOV WAS ONE OF THE SOVIET PROSECUTORS AT THE NUERNBERG TRIALS OF NAZI LEADERS WHO WERE CONDEMNED TO DEATH OR IMPRISONED. SO WAS POWERS' CHIEF PROSECUTOR, ROMAN A.RUDENKO.

GRINIOV DELAYED THE MEETING WITH THE FAMILY FOR MORE THAN AN HOUR, SAYING HE NEEDED TIME TO REST AFTER A LONG TALK WITH HIS CLIENT.

BARBARA WAS ACCOMPANIED BY PARKER AND ANOTHER ATTORNEY FRANK W. ROGERS OF ROANOKE.

THE FLIERS' PARENTS WERE ACCOMPANIED BY CARL A.MCAFEE, AN ATTORNEY FROM NORTON, VA.

THE APPOINTMENT WITH GRINIOV WAS ARRANGED BY V.BABKIN, HEAD OF THE AMERICAN SECTION OF INTOURIST, THE OFFICIAL SOVIET TOURIST AGENCY. THE APPOINTMENT HAD TO BE MADE THROUGH INTOURIST BECAUSE THE VIRGINIA LAWYERS ARE HERE IN AN UNOFFICIAL CAPACITY AND WILL ATTEND POWERS' TRIAL ONLY AS SPECTATORS.

PARKER, A FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE VIRGINIA BAR ASSN., TOLD NEWSMEN HE HAD ALSO ASKED INTOURIST TO ARRANGE AN APPOINTMENT FOR BARBARA WITH PREMIER NIKITA S.KHRUSHCHEV. SHE HOPES TO SEE HIM BEFORE THE TRIAL BUT IT IS UNLIKELY THIS WILL HAPPEN. SHE SAYS SHE WANTS TO MAKE A PERSONAL PLEA FOR CLEMENCY.

THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT SAYS POWERS HAS PLEADED GUILTY TO THE ESSENCE OF THE CHARGES AND KHRUSHCHEV HAS SAID HE WILL NOT INTERVENE. HE HAS PROMISED, HOWEVER, TO DO ANYTHING HE CAN TO HELP THE FAMILY.

POWERS HAS BEEN HELD INCOMMUNICADO SINCE HIS HIGH ALTITUDE RECONNAISSANCE PLANE WAS DOWNED MAY 1 ABOUT 1,400 MILES INSIDE SOVIET TERRITORY. THE PENALTY FOR ESPIONAGE RANGES FROM SEVEN YEARS IMPRISONMENT TO DEATH BEFORE A FIRING SQUAD.

THE VIRGINIA LAWYERS ATTEMPTED TO SEE THE HALL OF COLUMNS WHERE POWERS WILL BE TRIED BY A THREE-JUDGE MILITARY COURT.

"THEY WOULDN'T LET US IN BECAUSE IT IS STILL BEING RENOVATED," PARKER SAID.

UP UNTIL NOW, THERE HAS BEEN A VEIL OF SECRECY ABOUT POWERS' SOVIET DEFENSE LAWYER. NEITHER THE U.S. EMBASSY NOR WESTERN CORRESPONDENTS WERE ABLE TO GET ANY INFORMATION ABOUT HIM.

(SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A.HERTER, IN A LETTER TO FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI A.GROMYKO, ACCUSED THE RUSSIANS OF CONCEALING SOMETHING IN PREPARING FOR POWERS' TRIAL. HERTER SAID THIS MUST BE THE REASON THE RUSSIANS HAVE REFUSED TO LET ANY AMERICAN SEE THE FLIER BEFORE HIS TRIAL. GROMYKO REJECTED A RENEWED REQUEST TO PERMIT A U.S. OFFICIAL TO VISIT POWERS.)

THE FAMILY AND THE ATTORNEYS WERE DRIVEN IN AN INTOURIST CAR TO GRINIOV'S OFFICE IN DOWNTOWN MOSCOW. HE IS THE PRESIDING OFFICER OF THE JURIDICAL COUNCIL, A SORT OF LEGAL CLINIC WHERE MOSCOVITES GO WHEN THEY ARE IN DIFFICULTY AND NEED A LAWYER.

SEVERAL CORRESPONDENTS ENTERED GRINIOV'S OFFICE BUT THE RUSSIAN ASKED THEM TO LEAVE, SAYING IN ENGLISH: "THIS IS A PRIVATE CONFERENCE." HE REFUSED TO TALK WITH REPORTERS ABOUT THE CASE.

AS THEY EMERGED FROM THE BUILDING IN A SIDE STREET HALF A MILE FROM THE KREMLIN, THE ATTORNEYS WERE MET BY ABOUT 300 RUSSIANS ATTRACTED BY THE CROWD OF WAITING CORRESPONDENTS. THE RUSSIANS PUSHED AND SHOUTED QUESTIONS ABOUT WHAT WAS DISCUSSED BUT WERE TOLD NOTHING.

THE PILOT'S MOTHER SUFFERS FROM A HEART CONDITION, BUT A FAMILY FRIEND SAID SHE INTENDS TO ATTEND EVERY TRIAL SESSION.

IF USUAL CUSTOM IS FOLLOWED, THE TRIAL SESSIONS WILL RUN FROM 10 A.M. TO 6 P.M. THE TRIAL IS EXPECTED TO LAST ABOUT THREE DAYS.

PARKER SAID THE ATTORNEYS DID NOT RAISE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT ASSISTING AT THE TRIAL. NORMALLY FOREIGN ATTORNEYS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO TAKE PART IN TRIALS IN THE SOVIET UNION.

THE CONFERENCE WITH GRINIOV WAS THE MOST IMPORTANT STEP TAKEN SO FAR BY THOSE SEEKING TO HELP THE IMPRISONED PILOT. THE U.S. EMBASSY HAS BEEN DENIED PERMISSION TO SEE HIM BEFORE THE TRIAL BUT THE RUSSIANS SAY THEY MAY LET EMBASSY OFFICIALS VISIT HIM WHEN THE TRIAL IS OVER.

GRINIOV HAS SEEN POWERS SEVERAL TIMES.

HE TOLD THE VIRGINIA LAWYERS THAT THIS WAS NOT THE ONLY IMPORTANT CASE HE HAD BEEN ASSIGNED TO HANDLE. GRINIOV WAS TRAINED IN LAW AT KHARKOV AND THEN CAME TO MOSCOW, WHERE HE HAS ESTABLISHED A SUBSTANTIAL REPUTATION.

PARKER TOLD NEWSMEN THE CONFERENCE WITH GRINIOV WAS IN "EXECUTIVE SESSION" AND ALL HAD AGREED NOTHING WOULD BE REPEATED. "SILENCE WAS AGREED UPON BY ALL THE LAWYERS," PARKER SAID.

IN THE SOVIET UNION LAWYERS ESSENTIALLY ARE ASSISTANTS OF THE COURT. IN ACTUAL PRACTICE, HOWEVER, THEY ARE BEGINNING TO FUNCTION MUCH AS DO ATTORNEYS IN THE UNITED STATES. THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY, WHEN THERE IS ONE, IN THEORY IS TO HELP THE COURT ARRIVE AT A CORRECT DECISION. IN PRACTICE HE RAISES POINTS MOST LIKELY TO CONVICT.

POWERS' PARENTS AND WIFE SOUGHT PERMISSION TO VISIT THE IMPRISONED PILOT. BUT THEY ARE BECOMING INCREASINGLY CONVINCED THEY WILL NOT SEE HIM UNTIL THE TRIAL.

BARBARA SENT A TELEGRAM TO HER HUSBAND, ADDRESSING IT AS USUAL TO NO. 2 DZHERZHINSKAYA STREET. THIS HAS ALWAYS BEEN GIVEN AS THE RETURN ADDRESS ON LETTERS SHE HAS RECEIVED FROM HER HUSBAND DURING THE MORE THAN THREE MONTHS HE HAS BEEN IN PRISON.

THERE IS SOME EVIDENCE THAT BARBARA POWERS DOES NOT GET ON WELL WITH HER IN-LAWS. THEY HAVE SEPARATE ATTORNEYS, SEPARATE PHYSICIANS AND GO TO MANY APPOINTMENTS IN SEPARATE AUTOMOBILES. THEY CAME TO MOSCOW IN SEPARATE PLANES, ALTHOUGH ON THE SAME DAY. NEITHER HAS SPOKEN PUBLICLY OF ANY ILL FEELING BETWEEN THEM BUT MEMBERS OF THE GROUP AROUND THEM HAVE INDICATED THERE IS SOME FRICTION.

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(400) AMS BUDGET

NIGHT LEAD POWERS

BY LEWIS GULICK

WASHINGTON, AUG. 15 (AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY ACCUSED THE SOVIETS OF CONCEALING CERTAIN ASPECTS OF THE PREPARATION OF THEIR SPY TRIAL OF U2 PILOT FRANCIS GARY POWERS.

SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER, IN A LETTER TO SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI A. GROMYKO, SAID THE UNITED STATES DREW THIS CONCLUSION FROM THE SOVIETS' PERSISTENT REFUSAL TO ALLOW ANY AMERICANS TO SEE POWERS BEFORE HIS TRIAL STARTS WEDNESDAY.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID GROMYKO REJECTED HERTER'S RENEWED PLEA FOR ACCESS TO THE AMERICAN FLIER WHEN U. S. AMBASSADOR LLEWELLYN E. THOMPSON GAVE HERTER'S LETTER TO GROMYKO IN MOSCOW LAST FRIDAY.

PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE DECLINED TO SAY WHAT THE REDS MIGHT BE CONCEALING, INCLUDING WHETHER THEY MIGHT BE APPLYING BRAINWASHING TECHNIQUES TO THE CAPTURED PILOT. POWERS HAS BEEN IN RUSSIAN HANDS SINCE MAY 1 WHEN HIS HIGH-FLYING U2 RECONNAISSANCE PLANE WENT DOWN DEEP INSIDE SOVIET TERRITORY.

WHITE SAID THE TRIAL AS IT DEVELOPS WILL SHOW WHAT THE SOVIETS HAVE BEEN UP TO.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID HERTER'S LETTER "POINTED OUT THAT FURTHER SOVIET PERSISTENCE IN REFUSING TO PERMIT AN EMBASSY OFFICIAL TO VISIT MR. POWERS COULD ONLY LEAD TO THE CONCLUSION THAT THERE ARE CERTAIN ASPECTS REGARDING THE PREPARATION OF THE TRIAL OF MR. POWERS WHICH THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT, FOR ITS OWN PURPOSES, DESIRES TO CONCEAL."

IN HIS LETTER, HERTER CITED CASES WHERE SOVIET CITIZENS ACCUSED OF SPYING UNDER U. S. LAWS HAD BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO SOVIET OFFICIALS PROMPTLY UPON DEMAND.

HE SAID SOVIET AUTHORITIES SOUGHT AND GOT QUICK ACCESS TO VALENTINE A. GUBICHEV, A SOVIET EMPLOYEE OF THE UNITED NATIONS WHO WAS ARRESTED IN 1949 FOR SPYING, AND MIKHAIL NICHOLAS GORIN, HEAD OF THE RUSSIAN INTOURIST (TRAVEL AGENCY) OFFICE IN LOS ANGELES, ARRESTED FOR SPYING IN 1938. GUBICHEV WAS EXPELLED FROM THE UNITED STATES AND GORIN DREW A SIX YEAR PRISON SENTENCE PLUS $30,000 FINE.

WHITE ALSO GAVE SOME BIOGRAPHICAL DETAIL ON MIKHAIL I. GRINIOV, THE LAWYER APPOINTED BY THE SOVIETS TO DEFEND POWERS.

IT SAID GRINIOV WAS A DEFENSE ATTORNEY FOR TWO GROUPS ACCUSED OF BEING ACCOMPLICES OF THE LATE SOVIET SECURITY CHIEF, LAURENTY P. BERIA, WHO WAS EXECUTED. IT SAID THE TWO TRIALS TOOK PLACE IN 1954 AND 1956 AND THAT OF THE 12 ACCUSED, EIGHT WERE EXECUTED AND FOUR DREW LONG PRISON TERMS.

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A116 (170)

WITH MOSCOW

LONDON, AUG. 15 (AP)-MOST ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS WITH EMBASSIES IN MOSCOW HAVE ARRANGED TO SEND OBSERVERS TO THE TRIAL OF FRANCIS GARY POWERS BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, INFORMED DIPLOMATS REPORTED TODAY.

THESE OBSERVERS WILL HAVE NO OFFICIAL STATUS BUT WILL REPORT BACK TO THEIR OWN GOVERNMENTS ON THE PROCEEDINGS. THE GOVERNMENTS CONCERNED--BRITAIN IS AMONG THEM--THEN INTEND TO COMPARE NOTES WITH A VIEW TO FORMULATING A COMMON VIEW ON THE TRIAL.

WESTERN OFFICIALS CONSIDER A LOT CAN BE LEARNED FROM FOLLOWING THE PROCEEDINGS--INFORMATION NOT ONLY ABOUT SOVIET POLICY BUT ALSO ABOUT ANY TECHNIQUES OF INTERROGATION TO WHICH POWERS MAY HAVE BEEN SUBJECTED DURING HIS IMPRISONMENT.

MOSCOW RADIO HAS SAID THE TRIAL OF THE AMERICAN U2 PILOT WILL IN EFFECT BE "A PUBLIC TRIAL OF THE WHOLE OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY."

THIS LED ONE OFFICIAL HERE TO OBSERVE:

"BY SETTING OUT TO PORTRAY U.S. POLICY IN A CERTAIN WAY THE RUSSIANS WILL HAVE TO PARADE THEIR OWN ATTITUDES. THIS SHOULD PROVIDE A LIMITLESS SOURCE OF MATERIAL."

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A163WX (ADVS)
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ADVANCE FOR 5:30 P.M. EST MONDAY AUG 15--NOTE DATE
U2-INTERNATIONAL LAW
BY EDMOND LE BRETON

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 15 (AP)-THERE ARE PERSUASIVE REASONS FOR THE VIEW THAT U2 RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHTS OVER THE SOVIET UNION DID NOT VIOLATE INTERNATIONAL LAW, A CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE LAWYER SAID TODAY.

GIVING HIS VIEWS IN A TALK PREPARED FOR A MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL ASTRONAUTICAL FEDERATION IN STOCKHOLM, SPENCER M. BERESFORD SAID HE WAS NOT DISCUSSING WHETHER THE FLIGHTS MAY HAVE VIOLATED SOVIET DOMESTIC LAW, UNDER WHICH THE PILOT OF A DOWNED U2 PLANE IS BEING TRIED IN MOSCOW BEGINNING WEDNESDAY.

BERESFORD IS SPECIAL COUNSEL TO THE HOUSE SPACE COMMITTEE, BUT HE SAID THE OPINION HE EXPRESSED WERE PERSONAL, NOT OFFICIAL.

HE SAID THERE IS GOOD REASON TO CHALLENGE THE CONTENTIONS THAT THE U2 FLIGHTS WERE, UNDER INTERNATIONAL LAW, INVASIONS OF SOVIET AIRSPACE, OR ESPIONAGE OR AGGRESSION. THE QUESTION OF SOVIET DOMESTIC LAW IS IRRELEVANT, TO THIS DISCUSSION, HE ARGUED, SINCE THERE IS NO APPLICABLE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE SOVIET UNION AND NO SOVEREIGN COUNTRY IS BOUND BY THE INTERNAL LAWS OF ANOTHER.

BERESFORD BASED PART OF HIS ARGUMENT ON THE ACCEPTANCE BY VARIOUS COUNTRIES OF SATELLITE ORBITS IN OUTER SPACE ABOVE THEIR TERRITORY.

"THE UPPER BOUNDARIES OF AIRSPACE REMAIN UNSETTLED UNDER INTERNATIONAL LAW," HE SAID. HE NOTED THAT THE SOVIET UNION HAS NEVER SIGNED WHAT HE CALLED "THE ONLY GENERALLY ACCEPTED INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT AGREEMENT. . . THE CHICAGO CONVENTION."

THE U2, BERESFORD SAID, WHILE NOT A SATELLITE, OPERATES AT ALTITUDES APPROXIMATING SOME OF THE CONDITIONS OF SPACE--CERTAINLY ABOVE THE LIMITS AT WHICH HUMANS COULD SURVIVE WITHOUT SPECIAL EQUIPMENT.

HE SAID THE BOUNDS OF SOVEREIGNTY ARE SOMETIMES SET BY THE LIMITS OF EFFECTIVE CONTROL AND "THE SOVIET UNION ITSELF APPEARS TO HAVE ACCEPTED EFFECTIVE CONTROL AS THE LIMIT OF ITS THREE-DIMENSIONAL SOVEREIGNTY, BY NOT OBJECTING TO THE EARLIER U2 FLIGHTS."

IF IT IS TRUE THAT THE U2 DESCENDED INTO SOVIET AIRSPACE UNINTENTIONALLY BECAUSE OF A FLAMEOUT OR SIMILAR MISHAP, BERESFORD SAID, "THEN SURELY THE CONTROLLING PROVISIONS ARE THOSE THAT PERMIT AN AIRCRAFT TO ENTER FOREIGN TERRITORY IN CASE OF DISTRESS."

ON THE QUESTION OF ESPIONAGE, HE CONTENDED THE U2 FLIGHTS "WERE NOT CLANDESTINE--UNLESS SOMETHING IS WRONG WITH SOVIET RADAR. NOR WERE THEY MADE UNDER FALSE PRETENSES." MOREOVER, HE SAID, DESPITE DOMESTIC LAW "ESPIONAGE HAS LONG BEEN TOLERATED UNDER CUSTOMARY INTERNATIONAL LAW."

THE FLIGHTS DID NOT CONSTITUTE AGGRESSION, BERESFORD SAID, SINCE THE U2 WAS UNARMED AND ITS ACTIVITIES "WERE INTENDED TO PROVIDE AGAINST THE POSSIBILITY OF SURPRISE ATTACK BY OTHERS."

THE U2 OPERATIONS, BERESFORD CONCLUDED, COMING WHEN PRACTICAL SATELLITE SURVEILLANCE IS ONLY A FEW YEARS AWAY, APPEAR TO BE "THE FIRST LINK IN A CHAIN OF NOVEL EVENTS WHOSE END NO ONE CAN NOW FORESEE. . . THEY SHOW THE NEED FOR RECONCILING TRADITIONAL CONCEPTS OF AIR SOVEREIGNTY WITH THE FACTS OF TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGE. . . THE PROBABILITY IS THAT THE SECRECY AND SEALED BORDERS OF THE PAST ARE DOOMED."

AND BERESFORD SUGGESTED THAT "THE SOVIET UNION AS WELL AS THE UNITED STATES WOULD STAND TO GAIN FROM FREEDOM OF SURVEILLANCE."

(END ADVANCE FOR 5:30 P.M. EST MONDAY AUG 15 SENT AUG. 13)
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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, AUG. 15 (AP)-COL. EDWIN M. KIRTON SAID TONIGHT THE SOVIET SPY CHARGES THAT LED TO HIS EXPULSION LAST WEEK AS U.S. AIR ATTACHE IN MOSCOW CAME AS A REAL SURPRISE.

"I TRAVELED WIDELY IN THE SOVIET UNION DURING MY TWO YEARS THERE BUT THERE WERE NO ULTERIOR MOTIVES," SAID KIRTON, WHO ARRIVED BY PLANE FROM MOSCOW WITH HIS WIFE, LIRA. THEY ARE RETURNING TO THE UNITED STATES.

"I WAS AN OFFICIAL U.S. OBSERVER IN MOSCOW," KIRTON ADDED, "AND, OF COURSE, I TRIED TO LEARN TO KNOW THE COUNTRY AND THE PEOPLE."

RUSSIA CHARGED THE HUSKY CAREER OFFICER FROM PALO ALTO, CALIF. SET UP A SPY APPARATUS IN MOSCOW SHORTLY AFTER TAKING UP HIS POST THERE IN 1958. HE ALSO WAS ACCUSED OF CARRYING OUT NUMEROUS INTELLIGENCE TRIPS IN THE SOVIET UNION AND OF PHOTOGRAPHING MILITARY OBJECTIVES.

THE AMERICAN CHARGE D'AFFAIRES IN MOSCOW, EDWARD L. FREERS, REJECTED THE CHARGES.

KIRTON SAID HE BELIEVED HIS EXPULSION WAS "A SOVIET RETALIATION FOR A RECENT EXPULSION OF A SOVIET OFFICIAL IN WASHINGTON."

ASKED IF HIS OUSTER MIGHT ALSO BE PART OF A SOVIET PROPAGANDA BUILDUP FOR THIS WEEK'S SPY TRIAL OF AMERICAN U2 PILOT FRANCIS GARY POWERS, THE OFFICER SHRUGGED AND SAID:

"THAT'S SPECULATION. I DON'T KNOW POWERS. I NEVER MET HIM AND I HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE OF HIS CASE WHATSOEVER. I DIDN'T EVEN MEET HIS FAMILY WHEN THEY CAME TO MOSCOW LAST WEEK."

BEFORE RETURNING TO THE UNITED STATES, KIRTON WILL STOP OFF IN WIESBADEN, GERMANY, SITE OF U.S. AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN EUROPE, TO MEET HIS SUCCESSOR IN MOSCOW, COL. MELWYN NEILSON.
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A38KX (NIKE)
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WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE, N.M., AUG 15 (AP)-AN IMPROVED NIKE HERCULES MISSILE "KILLED" ANOTHER HERCULES 11 MILES ABOVE THE DESERT ON WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE LAST FRIDAY, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

HERCULES DESTROYED A CORPORAL BALLISTIC MISSILE IN FLIGHT EARLIER THIS SUMMER AT WHITE SANDS IN THE FIRST INTERCEPTION OF ITS KIND.

IN FRIDAY'S TEST HERCULES WAS USED AS A TARGET FOR ITS SISTER MISSILE BECAUSE IT HAS A GREATER PERFORMANCE THAN ANY TARGET PREVIOUSLY AVAILABLE TO TEST THE DEADLY HERCULES.

THE TARGET MISSILE DID NOT CARRY A WARHEAD. IT WAS INTERCEPTED BY THE ATTACKING HERCULES EXACTLY AT THE POINT COMPUTED BY THE IMPROVED GROUND EQUIPMENT.

THE MISSILE RANGE REPORTED THE TEST COMPLETELY SUCCESSFUL IN FURTHER DEMONSTRATING THE IMPROVED MISSILE SYSTEM. THE MAIN IMPROVEMENTS ARE LOCATED ON THE GROUND -- ACQUISITION, TRACKING AND GUIDANCE RADARS MORE POWERFUL THAN ANY EQUIPMENT USED BEFORE.
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A109 (120)

PORTSMOUTH, N.H., AUG. 15 (AP)-THE NAVY'S FIRST ATOMIC SUBMARINE--THE USS NAUTILUS--REJOINS THE ATLANTIC FLEET TODAY AFTER MORE THAN A YEAR IN DRY DOCK HERE.

STILL A MYSTERY WERE AT LEAST TWO ACTS OF SABOTAGE.

THE NAUTILUS, AFTER MAKING THE FIRST CROSSING UNDER THE NORTH POLE, CAME TO THE PORTSMOUTH NAVAL SHIPYARD MAY 28, 1958, FOR WHAT WAS DESCRIBED AS A NINE-MONTH OVERHAUL. SHE STAYED NEARLY 15 MONTHS.

THE NAVY ANNOUNCED LAST OCTOBER THAT SOME ELECTRICAL CABLE ABOARD THE SUB HAD BEEN CUT AND THAT IT WAS "INTENTIONAL DAMAGE." NO REPORT ON AN INVESTIGATION OF THAT DAMAGE HAS BEEN MADE PUBLIC.

LAST JUNE IT WAS REPORTED A HOSE USED TO TEST THE SUB'S EVAPORATORS HAD BEEN CUT. THE NAVY SAID LATER A CREW MEMBER WAS RESPONSIBLE BUT DECLINED TO DISCLOSE OTHER DETAILS.

THE NAUTILUS WILL BE BASED AT NEW LONDON, CONN.

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NORDENHAM, GERMANY, AUG. 15 (AP)-UNDER TIGHT SECURITY GUARD, ABOUT 6 1/2 TONS OF URANIUM REACTOR FUEL WAS UNLOADED AT THIS NORTH SEA PORT TODAY FOR WEST GERMANY'S FIRST ATOMIC POWER PLANT.

THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER BEAVER STATE BROUGHT THE CARGO YESTERDAY. THE WEST GERMAN SEA TRANSPORT COMPANY HANDLING THE SHIPMENT SAID IT WILL BE CHECKED BY THE FEDERAL PHYSICS INSTITUTE AT BRUNSWICK AND THEN SHIPPED ON TO THE REACTOR BEING BUILT AT KAHL, NEAR FRANKFURT.

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(EDITOR'S NOTE: YEORGE HOSHINO WAS A BOY IN TOKYO 15 YEARS AGO TODAY, WHEN THE JAPANESE SURRENDER BROUGHT AN END TO WORLD WAR II. HERE HE DESCRIBES HOW IT WAS THAT DAY.)

BY YEORGE HOSHINO

TOKYO, AUG. 15 (AP)-SOMETHING MECHANICAL KEPT THE PEOPLE MOVING ABOUT THE FEW DAYS AFTER THE ATOM BOMB, DESCRIBED BY JAPANESE IMPERIAL HEADQUARTERS AS A "NEW TYPE WEAPON," WAS DROPPED OVER HIROSHIMA AUG. 6.

THE PENDING DO-OR-DIE BATTLE--VERY FEW DREAMED JAPAN WOULD SURRENDER--HAD JUST ABOUT SAPPED EVERYONE SPIRITUALLY AND PHYSICALLY.

WHEN DAYLIGHT CAME, SOME STIRRED BUT OTHERS DIDN'T BOTHER TO ARISE. ONLY WHEN THE HUMID HEAT BECAME UNBEARABLE DID THEY GET UP.

MOST OF US SLEPT IN OUR DAILY ATTIRE OR WHATEVER WAS AVAILABLE. BLURRY-EYED CITIZENS AWOKE, FLICKED WATER IN THEIR FACES AND BRUSHED THEIR TEETH WITH WORN OUT TOOTHBRUSHES. IF ONE HAD ANY SALT, HE WAS LUCKY. NO ONE BOTHERED TO SHAVE.

SO IT WAS ON THE MORNING OF AUG. 15, 1945.

ABOUT 10 P.M. THE PREVIOUS NIGHT, AIR RAID SIRENS WAILED AND THE RADIO REPORTED SOME 200 B29S HAD INFILTRATED THE KANTO (EASTERN JAPAN) REGION. THE PLANES DIN'T FLY OVER TOKYO BUT THE AIR RAID CONDITON WASN'T LIFTED UNTIL SOME HOURS PAST MIDNIGHT.

I WALKED OVER TO THE SCIENCE INSTITUTE WHERE MY FATHER WAS WORKING AS A SUPERINTENDENT.

SEVERAL BUILDINGS INSIDE THE INSTITUTE COMPOUND IN THE NORTHERN SECTOR OF TOKYO HAD BEEN GUTTED BY A B29 RAID IN APRIL. SOME CHARRED, TWISTED WINDOW FRAMES WERE BOARDED UP WITH WOODEN PLANKS BECAUSE PEOPLE WERE LIVING INSIDE.

SEVERAL PEOPLE WERE ALREADY AT THE LAB WHERE I WAS HELPING OUT AS GENERAL ERRAND BOY.

FOR SOME DAYS, RUMORS HAD CIRCULATED THAT IT WAS A MATTER OF TIME BEFORE THE END WOULD COME. SEVERAL SCIENTISTS HAD CONSTRUCTED SIMPLE SHORTWAVE SETS AND WERE LISTENING TO AMERICAN BROADCASTS.

ABOUT 9 THAT MORNING, THE LAB STAFF SAT AROUND AND TALKED ABOUT THE WAR, THE BOMBING AND THE REPATED ANNOUNCEMENT THAT THERE WOULD BE AN IMPORTANT BROADCAST OVER THE JAPANESE RADIO AT NOON. VERY LITTLE WORK HAD BEEN DONE THE PAST WEEK.

I WENT OUT ON A FEW ERRANDS IN THE MORNING, TAKING REPORTS FROM ONE PLACE TO ANOTHER, PICKING UP CIGARETTE RATIONS FOR THE STAFF AND SUCH.

IN OTHER BUILDINGS THE SITUATION WAS ABOUT THE SAME. PEOPLE GATHERED AROUND AND SPOKE IN LOW MONOTONE, IN A SORT OF LOW KEYED SUSPENSE. IT KEPT RIGHT UP TO NOON, AND THEN THEY GATHERED AROUND THE RADIO TO LISTEN.

THE EMPEROR SPOKE IN A HIGH-PITCHED, CHILDLIKE VOICE. NO ONE HAD HEARD HIS REAL VOICE BEFORE, BUT IT STRUCK EVERY ONE AS BEING QUITE UNBECOMING FOR SOMEONE MANY CONSIDERED TO BE A LIVING GOD TO SPEAK. THE QUALITY EVEN LACKED DIGNITY, BUT THE CONTENTS OF HIS SPEECH DIDN'T.

HE PROCLAIMED THAT HE HAD DECIDED TO END THE WAR AND ACCEPT THE POTSDAM DECLARATION FOR THE WELFARE OF HIS SUBJECTS. HIS LANGUAGE WAS DIFFICULT TO UNDERSTAND AS IT WAS NOT COLLOQUIAL. BUT THE GENERAL MEANING WAS COMPREHENDED BY EVERYONE.

AFTER THE BROADCAST, PEOPLE AROUND THE RADIO SIMPLY STOOD OR REMAINED SITTING FOR SEVERAL MOMENTS UNTIL SOMEONE SAID, "WELL, THAT'S IT."

IT BROKE THE SPELL. A FEW PEOPLE WALKED AWAY QUIETLY.

THERE WERE NO SOBS OR EMOTIONS AS I REMEMBER.

FOR AWHILE AN EERIE SILENCE SEEMED TO FILL THE AIR.

THE WAR WAS OFFICIALLY OVER.

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PRECEDE BELGRADE DAY

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LONDON, AUG. 15 (AP)-THE WEST TODAY BEGAN CHECKING INTO NEW REPORTS OF TROUBLE BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION AND RED CHINA.

THE REPORTS--FROM COMMUNIST YUGOSLAVIA--SAID RUSSIAN TECHNICIANS WHO HAD BEEN ASSIGNED TO A VARIETY OF CHINESE PROJECTS ARE LEAVING PEIPING BY TRAINLOADS.

A CAREFULLY WORDED DISPATCH BY THE PEIPING CORRESPONDENT OF YUGOSLAVIA'S OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY TANJUG SHOWED SKEPTICISM OVER THE OFFICIAL CHINESE EXPLANATION THAT THE RUSSIANS WERE DEPARTING BECAUSE THEIR CONTRACTS HAD EXPIRED.

HIS DISPATCH SUGGESTED THE EXODUS POSSIBLY REFLECTED A SERIOUS RIFT IN SOVIET-CHINESE RELATIONS--A RIFT THAT MIGHT MEAN WITHDRAWAL OF ALL RUSSIAN EXPERTS.

THE REPORTED DEVELOPMENT DOUBTLESS HAS A FAMILAR RING TO YUGOSLAV REDS. THE PULLOUT OF SOVIET TECHNICIANS FROM YUGOSLAVIA IN 1948 HERALDED THE SUBSEQUENT EXPULSION OF PRESIDENT TITO FROM THE SOVIET-LED COMINFORM.

WESTERN OFFICIALS WHO FOLLOW AFFAIRS OF THE COMMUNIST POWERS HAVE BEEN AWARE FOR MONTHS OF A GROWING IDEOLOGICAL DISPUTE BETWEEN PEIPING AND MOSCOW. THE ISSUES RANGE FROM THE INTERPRETATION OF THE LENINIST DOCTRINE TO THE WISDOM OF SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV'S PROFESSED POLICY OF COEXISTENCE WITH THE WEST.

DIPLOMATS HERE SAID THEY HAVE RECEIVED NO DIRECT WORD FROM ALLIED MISSIONS IN PEIPING ON THE ACCURACY OF THE TANJUG'S REPORT.

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, AUG. 15 (AP)-CHINESE INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION IS MENACED AFTER CONTINUOUS DEPARTURES OF SOVIET EXPERTS FROM RED CHINA, BRANKO BOGUNOVIC, SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT OF THE YUGOSLAV OFFICIAL AGENCY TANJUG SAID TODAY IN A REPORT FROM PEIPING.

FOR SEVERAL DAYS, HE WROTE, SPECIAL TRAINS HAVE LEFT PEIPING WITH SOVIET EXPERTS ON THEIR WAY HOME. IT WAS AUTHORITATIVELY ANNOUNCED IN PEIPING, TANJUG'S REPORT SAID, THAT "THEIR TERMS HAVE EXPIRED" AND THAT THEY ARE LEAVING AFTER COMPLETING THEIR OBLIGATIONS.

THE CORRESPONDENT ADDED: "THERE ARE, NEVERTHELESS, OTHER VERSIONS WHICH PRESENT THINGS IN QUITE A DIFFERENT LIGHT." HE DID NOT ELABORATE.

DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS IN BELGRADE VIEW THIS DEVELOPMENT AS RESULTING FROM GROWING DISCREPANCIES BETWEEN IDEOLOGICAL ATTITUDES ASSUMED BY SOVIET RUSSIA AND RED CHINA.

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